

Taken together, these statutes mean this case may not commence until (1) the clerk of court receives payment in the amount of \$402, OR (2) the court enters an order granting every Plaintiff permission to proceed *in forma pauperis* after each Plaintiff has submitted his or her own affidavit containing the information required by 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a) which demonstrates the Plaintiff's inability to pay the filing fee. Accordingly, the court enter the following order.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Plaintiffs take the following action **no later than February 11, 2022**: (1) Plaintiffs shall pay in full a filing fee of \$402; or (2) Plaintiffs Michael Peter, Julia Berger, and Jarolin Berger shall each file an affidavit that includes a statement of all assets each possesses, demonstrating that each is unable to pay the filing fee. If the remaining Plaintiffs file such affidavits, the Court will determine whether the case may proceed without prepayment of fees. **Failure to comply with this order by the deadline may result in the dismissal of this action.**

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated this 6th day of January, 2022, in Kansas City, Kansas.



Teresa J. James
U. S. Magistrate Judge